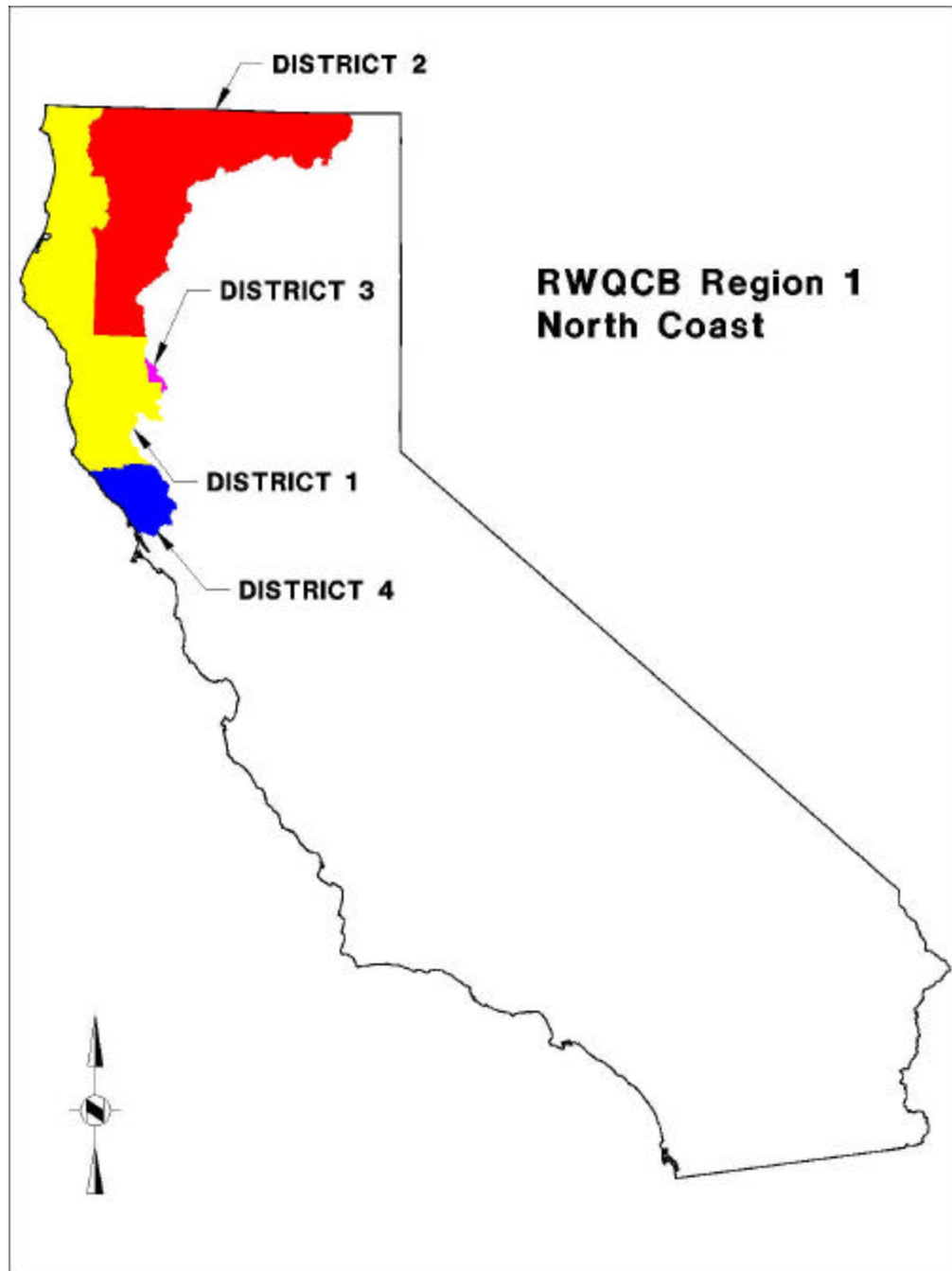


RWQCB REGION**REGION 1 – NORTH COAST****CALTRANS DISTRICTS**

1, 2, 3, 4

COUNTIES

District 1: Del Norte, Humboldt, northern Lake, Mendocino; District 2: Northwestern Modoc, western Siskiyou, Trinity; District 3: Northwestern Glenn; and District 4: Northern Sonoma.



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NPDES Permitting Requirements for Dewatering Discharges:

All dewatering discharges from storm water (accumulated precipitation) or non-storm water (groundwater, cofferdams, diversions, etc.) must be authorized under a Regional dewatering permit.

General NPDES Dewatering Permit(s):

Region 1 has a general NPDES dewatering permit under order number 93-61. Contact the RWQCB for more information about application procedures and permit requirements.

General NPDES Dewatering Permit(s):

Permit:

Order No.: 93-61

Title: “General NPDES Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater to Surface Water Related to Construction and Subsurface Seepage Dewatering Activities in the North Coast Region”

Covers: Existing and future discharges of groundwater to surface waters resulting from construction dewatering and for subsurface seepage dewatering and similar operations.

How to Apply: Submit Report of Waste Discharge and Application for NPDES Permit. For new discharges, submit 90 days prior to discharge. RWQCB will issue a Discharge Authorization Letter upon approval. The report of waste discharge shall be accompanied by a feasibility study of reuse of the groundwater.

General Requirements: Monitoring and reporting required as defined in the permit and directed by the RWQCB Discharge Authorization Letter.